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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 8012

BILL NUMBER: HB 1611

DATE PREPARED: Jan 9, 2001

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Town boards of police commissioners.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State & Local

Summary of Legislation: This bill provides that members of a town legislative body may serve as ex officio members of the town board of metropolitan police commissioners. The bill revises the law providing for the establishment and appointment of a town board of metropolitan police commissioners. It repeals a statute with conflicting versions.

Effective Date: July 1, 2001.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues: A bond of \$5,000, payable to the state, is required to be approved by the town legislative body for those serving on the town board of metropolitan police commissioners. However, if a member of the board is also a member of the town legislative body then the bond required of board membership would be returned to the locality. State revenue would be reduced as a result of this proposal by the number of town legislative members also serving on the board multiplied by \$5,000.

Explanation of Local Expenditures: The bill does not allow a member of the town legislative body to receive compensation for services as a member of the board. There would be no impact with respect to localities as a result of dual legislative body/board membership.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Office of the State Auditor

Local Agencies Affected: Town Legislative Body, Town Board of Metropolitan Police Commissioners

Information Sources: State Board of Accounts.